

## VERMONT

### **SBA DECLARATION #R104 -- MILITARY RESERVIST ECONOMIC INJURY DISASTER LOAN PROGRAM**

Small businesses employing military reservists may apply for economic injury disaster loans if those employees are called up to active duty during a period of military conflict existing on or after March 24, 1999 and those employees are essential to the success of the small business daily operations. The filing period for small businesses to apply for economic injury loan assistance under the Military Reservist Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program (MREIDL) begins the date the essential employee is ordered to active duty and ends on the date 90 days after the essential employee is discharged or released from active duty.

For further information call SBA at 1-800-659-2955.

### **SBA DECLARATION #9W81 — SEVERE STORMS AND FLOODING**

Homeowners, renters and business owners in Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chemung, Columbia, Delaware, Fulton, Greene, Livingston, Montgomery, Ontario, Renssaler, Schuyler, Steuben, and Yates Counties are eligible to apply for an SBA disaster loan to cover physical losses resulting from the severe storms and flooding that occurred July 21 through August 13, 2003. Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDLs) are available to small businesses located in the primary counties, as well as the contiguous counties of Albany, Broome, Chautauqua, Chenango, Dutchess, Erie, Genesee, Hamilton, Herkimer, Monroe, Otsego, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Seneca, Sullivan, Tioga, Tompkins, Ulster, Washington, Wayne and Wyoming in the State of New York; Bradford, McKean, Potter, Tioga, Warren and Wayne in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; Bennington in the State of Vermont; Berkshire in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and Litchfield in the State of Connecticut as well as the contiguous counties. However, to be eligible for consideration under the SBA disaster program, losses sustained must be the result of the severe storms and flooding that occurred on July 21 through August 13, 2003.

The deadline for filing EIDLs is May 13, 2004.

For further information, please call 1-800-659-2955.